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- expressing all the morphological and physiological characteristics of soybean variety 92B84, representative seed of said soybean variety 92B84 having been deposited under ATCC Accession No. \_\_\_\_\_.
- 8. A method for developing a soybean plant in a soybean breeding program using plant breeding techniques, which include employing a soybean plant, or its parts, as a source of plant breeding material, comprising: obtaining the soybean plant, or its parts, of claim 2 as a source of said breeding material.
- 9. The soybean breeding program of claim 8 wherein said plant breeding techniques are selected from the group consisting of: recurrent selection, mass selection, bulk selection, backcrossing, pedigree breeding, restriction fragment length polymorphism enhanced selection, genetic marker enhanced selection, and transformation.
- 10. A soybean plant or parts thereof produced by the method of claim 8.
- 11. A method for producing a first generation hybrid soybean seed comprising: crossing the plant of claim 2 with a different inbred parent soybean plant, and harvesting the resultant first generation hybrid soybean seed.
- 12. An  $F_1$  hybrid soybean seed produced by the method of 11.
- 13. The method of claim 11 for producing a first generation hybrid soybean seed wherein the inbred soybean plant of claim 2 is the female parent.
- 14. The method of claim 11 for producing a first generation hybrid soybean seed wherein the inbred soybean plant of claim 2 is the male parent.

